Aransas Pass For Youth, Inc.

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City of Aransas Pass 600 W Cleveland Blvd Aransas Pass, TX 78336

I am submitting a Sponsorship Request on behalf of the Aransas Pass for Youth Summer Camp Program. We are a 501 (c) 3 Non-Profit Charitable Organization which provides a Summer Camp Program in Aransas Pass. Our mission is to continue to offer the youth of Aransas Pass an opportunity for participation in a summer recreation program that builds self-esteem, improves self confidence, strengthens positive socialization and focuses on reducing juvenile delinquency and the prevention of drug use and gang activities. We serve children primarily from Aransas Pass, Ingleside, Rockport, Portland and as far away as Austin, San Antonio and Houston, Texas.

We offer a 7 week program which begins from June 15, 2022 through July 29, 2022. We challenge the children not only physically, but mentally as well. We offer activities such as swimming, bowling, arts and crafts, kayaking and fishing. We offer guest speakers such as Mr. Kippy from the Public Library and the Aransas Pass Police Department.

Last year Aransas Pass for Youth received an in-kind facility usage from the City of Aransas Pass Aquatic Center. We are once again asking for the City's support by providing an in-kind donation of the Aquatic Center.

Our program has been in existence since 1996 and we have received information from Juvenile Detention and the Police Department that during the months of June through August they do see a decrease in their case load. This is our goal, to keep our children off the streets, keep them active and mentor them to be better citizens and to not be involved in drug use and gang activities.

It has been proven that our program does work and we can't function without sponsorships and donations from business 'such as yours. On behalf of the children of Aransas Pass and the surrounding areas in which we serve, please take into consideration our request for support.

Sincerely,

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